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The little faded, withered thing was once as sweet a flower
As ever bloomed upon the earth in any garden bower;
Its crimson petals were as soft as any flower's could be
When Nellie p'ucked it from its stem and offered it to me.

'Twas not a royal crimson rose, or lily tall and fair,
But lovely in the garden bed as any lily there,
And now to me it dearer is than these can ever be,
Since Nellie plucked it from its stem and offered it to me.

E.S.M.

THE ALEXANDRIA HAVOC.

PEN PICTURES OF THE BOMBARDMENT FROM LONDON PAPERS.

ALEXANDRIA, July 11, 5 p. m.—The forts of Alexandria were bombarded today. The signal gun with blank cartridge was fired, and a tremendous action ensued, the Egyptians fighting splendidly. The ships behave magnificently.

Last night closed in on a curious scene. Gradually all the ships had quitted Alexandria harbor except the English ironclads, and in the place where, but now, there lay hundreds of vessels, were only one Austrian and one German war ship and three British ironclads. In the town there had been a general stampede.

Presently the German and Austrian men-of-war steamed out and left the ships and the forts alone facing each other. The Monarch was just outside the Mole, in the inner harbor, with the Invincible not far in the rear, end on, her broadside turned toward Comeldyk Fort, while some distance away near the battery commanding the entrance of the harbor, could be just described the Penelope, in position between two forts, all alone.

Outside the harbor and in the rear of the forts on the neck of land, where stands the Ras-el-Tin Palace, also along the shore, lay the Inflexible, Alexandra, Superb, Sultan and Temeraire, all near each other, their broadsides turned towards the land, their top-gallant masts down, with everything prepared for action. Then darkness came on, and signalling by light began, to be again succeeded by the electric light from the Alexandra searching the whole coast line.

This morning broke hazily, and I found the ships had nearly all changed their positions in the night. The Monarch had gone close to Marabout Battery, where the Penelope had hitherto been stationed. The Invincible lay close by, while the Penelope, getting up steam, moved in a north-westerly direction along the shore against the mouth of the harbor.

Then followed a long series of manœuvres, ships moving about all around the front shore till close upon 7 o'clock, when the lines were complete, the Alexandra being furthest off, having the Superb and Sultan in line with her, nearly opposite the fort at the back of the lighthouse, close to the Ras-el-Tin Palace, and the Inflexible exactly opposite the mouth of the harbor, with the Temeraire right astern, about six cables length; while the Penelope, Invincible, and Monarch were along side the shore near Marabout Island.

Suddenly, about five minutes past 7, fire opened all along the line, beginning with the Alexandra. The forts replied at once; great volumes of smoke were seen rolling in every direction, and shells could be seen dropping all over the surface of the water.

The American Captain of the Quinnebaug, who hospitably gave me a chance to see the fight from his deck, anchored only five cables on the port beam of the Temeraire, so that I got a splendid view of the contest, shells frequently falling quite close to us.

Meanwhile the Condor, Beacon, Decoy, and Bittern gunboats took up their line in rear of the ironclads, and pelted away with all their might. Through the day the fire has been kept up fierce and fast by our ships. One after another the forts have been silenced, and we have suffered little or no loss.—*London Telegraph.*

THE BRITISH VESSELS ENGAGED.

The following is a list of the vessels engaged: Eight ironclads, supported by five gunboats, represented the effective British force. The ironclads were: Inflexible, 11,400 ton, turret ship, mounting four guns of 81 tons each, and carrying armor of from 16 to 24 inches; Temeraire, 8,540 tons, mounting eight heavy guns, four of 25 tons each and four of 18 tons each, and carrying 8 and 10 inch armor; Superb, 9,1000 tons, mounting four 25 ton guns, and being protected by 10 and 12 inch armor; Sultan, 9,290 tons, mounting eight 18-ton guns and four 12-ton guns, and carrying armor of from 6 to 9 inches in thickness; Alexandra (Admiral Beauchamp Seymour's flagship), 9,490 tons, mounting two guns of 25 tons each, and ten of 18 tons each, and bearing armor of 6 to 9 inches. Monarch, 8,320 tons, mounting four 25-ton guns and two of 6½ tons each, and being armored with from 8 to 10 inches of iron. Invincible, 6010, mounting ten 12-ton guns, and carrying 8 to 10 inches of armor. Penelope, 4,470, also mounting ten 12-ton guns, and carrying 5 to 6 inch armor. These eight powerful fighting ships were supported by the gunboats Beason, Bittern, Cygnet, Condor and Decoy.

All the thirteen vessels were fully manned, and, in addition to their heavy armament, most of them were fitted with torpedoes and machine guns of the mordern Nordenfeldt and Gatling patterns. The whole fleet was under the command of Vice-Admiral Sir F. Beauchamp Paget Seymour, G. C. B., the flagship officer of the Mediterranean station.—*London Daily News.*

THE FORTS OF THE HARBOR.

The forts against which the naval force was brought to bear have been so recently strengthened and enlarged that no precise idea of the strength can yet be formed. The fortifications, however, extend from Pharos Castle, on the extreme east, to Marsa-el-Kanat and Marabout Island on the west. The chief fortifications between these two extreme points were Fort Ada, on the northern point of the town, a long line of batteries extending from the east of the Ras-el-Tin Palace to the lighthouse at the shore end of the great breakwater, and the row of forts bearing upon the outer harbour and covering the roads by which vessels must team after passing the shoal, by way of either the Corvette Pass, the Boghaz Centra Pass, or the Marabout or Western Pass to get inside the breakwater.

The forts presented an almost unbroken line of defence from Fort Tsale, to the southwest of the landing place, to the fort and battery of Marsa-el-Kanat, situated just where the shore reaches away to the north. Then comes the long stretch of low sand-hills, terminating in Chersonesus Point, which was protected by Fort Adjemi, and the guns of Marabout Island covering more or less effectually the Marabout Pass with its five or six fathoms of water.

Besides these fortifications the town is protected by Fort Caffarelli or Napoleon, Fort Certin, and the fort which, from its position in the front of the ruins of Ptolemy's Palace, commands the East Harbor of New Port. There were therefore two distinct systems of defence—those which protect the New Port and Eastern town, and of which Forts Pharos and Ada were the principal, and those which protect the entrance to the outer Western Harbor. Admiral Seymour's plan of attack consisted in dividing his vessels so as practically to simultaneously bombard the whole of the Egyptian positions.

The bombardment of Alexandria is the largest operation of the kind known to the world. The French bombardment of Sfax extended over a longer period, and was effected by nine ironclads and five gunboats, but on no one day was anything like the same weight of metal thrown into Sfax as by the British squadron into the forts of Alexandria during the bombardment. There was some splendid scientific firing, and official reports of this first practical trial in real warfare of modern fighting ships will be records of the utmost value.—*London Daily News.*

THE ARTILLERY OF THE EGYPTIANS.

The Egyptian gunners appear to have stood manfully by their guns, in spite of the terrific fire to which they were subjected. Their practice was not first-class. But the comparrtive immunity with which the fleet was enabled to run the gauntlet of the forts is doubtless to be attributed less to the inaccuracy of the enemy's fire than to the obsolete character of his ordnance. His weapons were of the same pattern which we found wholly ineffective ourselves against the Russian fortifications, and which we eventually superseded by rifle guns long in the chase.

It is impossible to state with any degree of certainty how the forts were armed, but it is manifest that they were manfully defended by smooth-bore guns throwing solid spherical shot. The 9-inch 12-ton muzzle-loaders which the Egyptians are known to possess have only a velocity of 1,249 feet, and a penetration of 8.7 inches at 1,000 yards. The English muzzle-loaders of the same weight and calibre have, on the other hand, a velocity of 1,429 feet, and a penetration of 10.2 inches; under the same conditions; while our new 9.2 inch B. L. M. guns have a velocity of 1,868 feet, and a penetration of 18.6 inches at 1,000 yards. Some of the forts, it is true, evidently mounted rifled guns, but whether smooth-bore or rifled, they were of shorter range, and of considerable less energy, than the guns employed against them.

Although, as a matter of fact, the Superb and the Invincible are said to have been injured, and casualities are reported on board the whole of the armor-clads, with the single exception of the Monarch, which being a turret ship, would present a clear weather deck when equipped for action, the comparative insignificance of the losses and injuries demonstrate that the majority of the projectiles fell short, and that even when they hit the mark there was no "burst." On the other hand, in their attack upon the forts the Inflexible and the Temeraire had a double advantage, the importance of which it is impossible to over estimate. The immense range of their turret and barbette guns enabled them to begin the action at a distance varying from 3,000 to 5,000 yards, while remaining themselves completely outside the radious of the hostile fire.—*London Times.*

The position held by the followers of Arabi Pasha consisted of a series of detached "tabins" and earthworks, extending over a range of coast exceeding four miles. Some of these were old and others recently constructed, while they were seen to be armed with artillery which it was known comprised various calibres. The heaviest pieces were understood to be cannon of English and German make, and included 12-ton and 18-ton guns; so that, granting a capacity to use them, the Egyptians had a clear chance of doing our weaker war ships, at least, considerable damage.—*London Daily Telegraph.*

Minnedosa Matters.

Rev. Mr. Loughhead, of Rolling River, occupied the Methodist pulpit on the 6th, and preached a stirring sermon.

Rev. Mr. Malcolm preached on the 13th. He occupies Rev. Mr. Wellwood's place while the latter goes off on a health vacation to Toronto and Montreal.

Rev. T. B. Wilson, at the quarterly meeting on the 13th, preached from Acts 2, and 13.

Messrs. G. W. Begnon and A. Armour have been appointed steward and class-leader.

Messrs. S. A. Smyth and W. Irwin have had success in photography, especially in Rapid City.

The fire company has lately re-organized and appointed officers.

Mr. B. Beddome has rented his store on 1st street to Mr. W. H. Garbutt for an organ depot, at $300 per year.

Messrs. F. J. Boyd and W. Haliday, having got their patents, talk of going to the N. W. T. and again homesteading.

The Chimo Lacrosse Club concert on the 9th was a success. Receipts at least $80. A. E. Fisher in the chair. The singing and playing of Mr. and Mrs. Begnon, Mrs. Dennison and the Misses Boyd was all that could be desired.

The I.O.G.T. is still prospering.

Discussion yet between the Star and Standard about the judicial capital.

Messrs. J. S. and B. M. Armitage, wives and families have gone to Greg, Ont.

Romance in Real Life.

JOHN RITCHIE'S CURIOUS MANNER OF SHOWING HIS LOVE.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 22.—A remarkable story of love, tragedy, and good fortune has just been brought to light in Baltimore, Amelia Graham was a young and pretty Irish girl, who came to Baltimore about two years ago to make her fortune. She had been here but a short time when a wealthy old gentleman named John Ritchie became smitten with her charms. Friendship ripened into love. They soon became engaged, and the day was set for the wedding. Then a difficulty arose, he wanted to be married by the Episcopal Church and he in the Roman Catholic. After a lover's quarrel, Ritchie finally agreed to his sweetheart's terms, and the wedding day was set. Again the old trouble arose, his friends persuading him not to marry in the Catholic church, This resulted in the engagement being broken, and the young girl was persuaded to return to Ireland. Then he began writing to her, requesting her to return and marry him. Accordingly she returned, courting recommenced, and in a few months they were married. Two days after the wedding, from some unknown cause, Ritchie committed suicide by blowing his brains out, and the young widow was left with a large fortune. She crossed the ocean again, and after spending a short time on the Emerald Isle, recently came back to America, and, it is now announced here, will in a few days marry a wealthy manufacturer of Boston.

Managing a Husband.

The next best thing to pleasing a man's stomach is for his wife to dress up a bit, for his especial benefit; he is so hungry that it would need but a spark to kindle a flame; but when he enters and sees the appetizing dinner in the act of being dished, his little woman smiling, neat and tidy, it acts upon him like a dose of soothing syrup. The dust might be an inch thick on the mantel-piece—he would not see it; broken crockery and cobwebs might fill every corner—he would look upon them with all the complacency imaginable, and not attempt their annihilation. While washing, he tells his wife how pretty she is, how becoming her hair is arranged in that fashion, says no other man ever had such a dear little love of a woman for a wife, asks what she has for dinner that smells so good, and though he is really starving, waits upon the table with all the grace and politeness of a Chesterfield, and selects the best of everything for his little wife's plate. During meal-time he tells her all about his work, asks her advice in regard to his plans, tells funny stories, propounds conundrums, cracks jokes and renders the dinner hour a very enjoyable affair. After it is over he makes love to his wife, plays with the children, sings comic songs, then goes off to his work, whistling merrily, at peace with all the world, thinking he has the happiest home in the land, while his wife follows him to the door, saying, within herself; "What a blessing, it is have such a dear, good, cheerful, loving husband."

A correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* with the Rufus Hatch party, speaking of the system of cultivating immense acres of territory in Dakota, as one farm, says:—"I cannot help thinking that these "bonanza" farms, as they are called, are far from being conducive to the general prosperity of the country. Fifty square miles of farming land is too much to place in the hands of any one man or syndicate of men. Within the limits of Cass County are four farms, with a combined extent of 85,000 acres. These proprietors are almost all non-resident. They hire their assistance as it is needed, the Dalrymples employing from 250 to 500 men. These non-resident landlords do but little to improve the country. They take money out of it to spend in the East, and only leave in the Territory what they pay out for wages. The people seem to appreciate this fact, and some of them even talk of a heavy tax on non-resident cultivators. The Northern Pacific Railroad must appreciate this state of affairs, for it only gets the freight on the grain, and fails to get the frieght charges on merchandise which would come into the country were these farms divided up into smaller patches and worked by resident owners who would improve their lands, build houses and granaries, and be a part of a great thrifty population. I was told that the Northern Pacific had begun to discourage these large investments, and now endeavors to place its lands in small lots in the hands of actual settlers. The large "bonanza" farmers in Cass County have been successful chiefly because they have absorbed all the money usually spent in permanent improvements, and have conducted their interprises on the cheapest possible plan and without benefitting their neighbors."

On the 15th inst., says the Thunder Bay Sentinel, a very serious accident happened to the steamer Ontario, which will prove a serious loss to the company. She left Prince Arthur's Landing on Monday, the 14th inst., with a very large cargo, consisting of pressed wool, flour, etc. On the 15th she reached Mamainse, at which point she put in to leave a quantity of provisions for the Cooper Co. A short time after leaving there, about midway between Fletcher's Point and Mamainse, at six o'clock in the evening, she ran on a reef known as Pancake Rock. A dense fog and high wind prevailed at the time, making navigation extremely difficult. Fearing that the wind might increase, and the boat be completely wrecked, the officers were obliged to give orders for the deck-load to be thrown overboard. Eight hundred barrels of flour and about seven car-loads of pressed wool were thus disposed of, and the boat lightened. Shortly after she got off and went her way, and is no doubt at home now. The value of the goods lost is estimated at $55,000 to $60,000. The vessel itself will have to be put in dry dock to ascertain the amount of damage done.

THE first meeting for the organization of an agricultural society for the Electoral Division at Brandon will be held in the City Council Chamber, Brandon, on Thursday, September 7th, at 3.30 p.m.

THE BRANDON SUN.

BRANDON, MANITOBA, AUG. 31, 1882.

THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The several committees having in charge the welcoming and entertaining of the members of the Press Association and their friends, on Tuesday last, accomplished in a perfect manner all that they were expected to do. When these committees started upon their work they did so with a determination to carry it through with satisfaction, and the result has shown their success. It was the undivided opinion of all the visitors that the manner in which they were entertained here was of a most royal character, and THE SUN takes this opportunity of thanking the committees, the citizens, the Mayor, and the aldermen, for the courtesies extended to its confreres in the east, and does so the more freely, knowing how spontaneous was the feeling of all concerned.

THE CITY'S IMPROVEMENTS.

Though the space of time that has elapsed since this city was organized into a distinct municipality is but a span—a retrospective glance at a few of the many important works accomplished or now under way, may not be without interest, even at this day.

In what light historians of the future may view the unpredicted birth and marvellous development of this city, that has in a few months made itself prominent among the cities of the Dominion, if not of the continent, and known to nearly the whole civilized world, it is premature to conjecture. But that its first board of Aldermen has accomplished a work, since its election, that entitles the members to the gratitude and confidence of the citizens is evident to any observer of the practical and almost unremitting attention they have devoted to the performance of their very important duties and the results as exhibited on every hand in the shape of permanent improvements and well guaged plans for the future, make the city's growth and improvements a fitting subject for a pen devoted to the leading topics of the present day.

There is no reason to hope that the chronic croakers are all dead yet, and that therefore none will be found to criticise, perhaps severely, the heavy expenditure of money authorized by our municipal fathers. True, the amounts which they have decided to expend are considerable, yet the wisest economy is always exhibited in providing that which will be of permanent value and yield the greatest aggregate of good in the end. Besides the grading of some ten miles of streets, the construction of almost the same amount of sidewalks, the providing for suitable fire protection and the bringing to the most perfect working order of all the machinery of a well equipped city, by the council during the short time they have been at work, there are other improvements of an expensive and important nature that have been undertaken by other parties and corporations. Prominent among these may be mentioned the extensions made to the buildings and shops in connection with the railway, and the proposed additional buildings that must necessarily follow on this being made the end of the first division, and we trust at no very distant day, the junction of one or more branch lines with the main track of that road that has done and will continue to do so much towards developing the wealth of this Province. Next in importance, perhaps, is the advantage to be afforded travellers to the north to cross the river at all times and seasons with perfect safety. The east end bridge, constructed mainly if not solely through the efforts of Mr. J. E. Woodworth, was opened yesterday in a most fitting manner by the passing over it of the long procession of conveyances containing the members of the Press Association; and the bridge at the opposite end of the town will, in all probability, be completed within a month or two. Then, on every hand may be seen blocks of buildings of a substantial nature under the hammer and trowel of the busy workmen, and foundations for still more are being prepared on almost every street. In short Brandon is at this day enjoying the best and safest boom—safest because it is devoid of anything approaching a speculative fever or an ungoverned rage for land grabbing—that has favored any city of its age in the known world, and the citizens have good cause to accept with pride and pleasure the congratulations that are tendered them by every observing person who pays a visit to this city, the pride of the west, the gem of the Province and the admiration of the country.

THE ELECTION OF MR. EDIE.

We extend to Mr. C. B. Edie, of this city our hearty congratulation on his election to the Local Legislature. His opponent was Mr. Mathewson, a Reformer. Mr. Edie is one of the clear-headed men of this country, and more than that is an earnest worker for the advancement of the Province. As a citizen he is highly respected by every one.

The election in Springfield for a member of the Local House, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of A. W. Ross, resulted in the triumphant return of Mr. Edie, the Conservative candidate. His majority is as follows:

	Edie.	Matheson.
Sunnyside	36	51
Plympton	62	20
Cook's Creek	43	9
Kildonan	38	37
	179	117

Majority for Edie.....62

A NEW RAILWAY PROJECT.

A new railway project is now on foot, the particulars of which we have been made acquainted with, but will not be made public for a few days. It is to run almost parallel with the Souris & Rocky Mountain road, and will pass through this city. Sir Hugh Allan's trip to this Province is for the purpose of completing all arrangements concerning it. Several Manitoba capitalists are interested, among them being A.W. Ross, Esq., M.P. of Winnipeg,

County Council.

AUGUST 21st. 1882.

The council met at the offices of Messrs. Poudrier & Brownlee.

The Warden in the chair. Present—Councillors Harrison, Scott, Laird, Taylor and Hetherington.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Communications were read from R. Reid and Alonzo Rowe refusing to act as pathmasters, and from C. Stewart requesting a statement of the assessed value of the East Brandon school district.

A petition was read from Geo. H. Halse and twenty-seven others, praying for a bridge between sections 36 and 31, ranges 18 and 19.

Moved by Mr. Laird, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that Robert McTavish, H. McKenzie, Wm. Irwin and W. Shields, sr., be appointed pathmasters for road divisions No. 3, township 11, range 18, No. 3, township 9, range 20; No. 3, township 12, range 19, and No. 3, township 8, range 17, and that the seal of this corporation be attached to this resolution.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Laird, that the prayer of Geo. H. Halse and twenty-seven others for a bridge on the road allowance between sections 36 and 31, ranges 18 and 19, be granted, and that the engineers be instructed to prepare plans and specifications and advertise for tenders for the construction of the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hetherington, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the report of the engineer on bridge between section 19, township 11, range 16, and section 24, township 11, range 17 be received, and invite tenders for the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Scott, that the county engineer be instructed to draw plan and specifications for a pile bridge on the road allowance between sections 11 and 12, township 11, range 18, west, and call for tenders for building the same.—Carried.

Report of committee appointed to inspect road from Plum Creek to Alexandria station, C.P.R., read.

Report received and adopted.

Accounts were received and referred to the Finance Committee.

The following accounts were ordered paid: D. R. Taylor, commissioner, $72.00; Atkinson & Quigley, for rope, $6.00; Winnipeg Free Press, for advertising, $40.50; J. Cameron, work on pile driver, $10.70.

Moved by Mr. Hetherington, seconded by Mr. Scott, that the engineers call for tenders for the construction of the north Boggy Creek bridge between sections 7 and 8, township 12, range 16, west, and to prepare plans and specifications for the same.—Carried.

Mr. Charles Whitehead was heard in reference to a grant for the Brandon Agricultural Society.

Rule 17 of by-law No. 3 was suspended for the remainder of the session.

Mr. Laird introduced a by-law, No. 38 to amend by-law No. 26, extending the time for receiving pathmaster's lists

The by-law was read a first time.

The council went into a committee of the whole thereon, Mr. Laird in the chair.

The by-law was read a second time.

The council rose and reported the by-law as amended.

The by-law was read a third time and passed.

Moved by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Harrison, that the assessors be paid in full for their services.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Harrison, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the contractor for Little Saskatchewan bridge be paid $200, per report of commissioner Taylor, and the same be charged against the contract.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Harrison, seconded by Mr. Scott, that inasmuch as John Cummings has not signed his contract within the specified time, new tenders be asked for the building of the bridge across Plum Creek between sections 32 and 33, township 7, range 21, west.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Hetherington, that the sum of fifteen dollars be paid Mr. Wood for placing pickets on the trail, not less than four to the mile as near as possible, on the road allowance between Plum Creek and Alexandria station.—Carried.

The council went into committee of the whole to consider the second reading of by-law No. 39, to raise money by debentures, Mr. Harrison in the chair.

The by-law was read a second time.

The council adjourned to meet Monday, the 4th day of September, at 1 o'clock p.m.

CITY COUNCIL.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS,
Aug. 24, 1882.

Mayor in the chair.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS

from W. H. Clapp, Winnipeg, offering to place water fountain in this city.

From Jas. Jennings, application as Engineer, &c., for fire department.

From J. D. Ronald, of Brussels, Ont. He is giving the building of the steam fire-engine his personal attention; has employed extra help, and is pushing it as fast as is consistent to make it A 1. He expects to have it shipped in two months; before if possible. He also offers hose, &c. The amount asked, complete, $6,000.00.

ENQUIRIES.

By Ald. Winters, with regard to the grading now going on of Pacific avenue. Are the streets running north and south supposed to cross the rail track? He thought it a mistake in filling in to such an extent, especially along by the freight sheds.

The Mayor said that if the contractor was not capable that the Board of Works should attend to him.

The Mayor reported that the city seal had arrived, and was in the hands of the City Clerk.

The Report from the deputation to the Attorney-General, with regard to liquor licenses, was laid over.

Moved by Ald. Evans, seconded by Ald. Winters, That Mr. Sewell be permitted to put in weigh scales under the supervision of the City Engineer. Declared out of order.

Moved by Ald. Winters, seconded by Ald. Evans, That the Post Office should be moved to a more central point, and a memorial be sent to the Postmaster General.—Carried,

Moved by Ald. Horne, seconded by Ald. Fortier, That a cupboard be procured for the Police and City Clerk's books and papers.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Buchan, seconded by Ald. Horne, That the City Clerk have leave of absence from Tuesday until Saturday, the Clerk providing a substitute.—Carried.

The offer of J. H. Johnston was accepted, on recommendation of the Board of Works.—Carried.

The Engineers were instructed to proceed with improvements, &c., on Victoria avenue, from 18th street to western boundary.

The Engineer was instructed to stop work on 6th street, as any further cost is considered too great.

A plough and scraper for street work were ordered.

The offer of H. N. Way to keep the pound southwest corner of the city was accepted.

The tender of J. S. Christie for lumber for sidewalks was accepted.

On motion it was resolved that the building on the site of the fire hall be sold by the Chairman of Board of Works for the most he can get, and if no sale is made within three days (at a reasonable figure) if purchaser is not procured, it may be moved to another lot and disposed of hereafter, the buildings not to be sold for less than $250.00.

A communication from Mr. J. Johnston, with regard to Port of Entry was filed.

The Council adjourned until Monday evening.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS,
Aug. 28, 1882.

His Worship the Mayor presiding. Present—Ald. Buchan, Fortier, Lockhart, Pilling, Smart, Winters, Sifton and Winter.

The minutes having been read and signed, a communication was received from H. N. Way accepting his appointment as pound keeper.—Filed.

Another from T. Bennett, Immigration Agent, respecting the construction of sewers from the immigrant shed was referred to the Board of Works.

The Board of Works recommended, among other things, that McDougall & McPherson be granted an extension of two weeks for the completion of the Fire Hall; that the communication of Mr. Clapp asking for a bonus to assist in establishing a foundry and machine shop be acknowledged but that no action be taken in the matter at present; and that the offer of $260 from S. E. Thompson for the building of the proposed site of the council building be accepted.—Report adopted.

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

The delegates appointed to confer with the Government on the matter of liquor licenses reported having consulted with the Premier and Attorney-General and they were of opinion that until the city charter was amended the Council could have no jurisdiction in the premises. The Mayor explained that the Government had informed him that license could be obtained for the city under the Provincial Act.

The Mayor stated to the Council the action he had taken to provide for the immediate and pressing necessities of the little boy Niblock, who was so seriously injured on Sunday.

Mr. McKinnon was heard with reference to the nuisances that had been deposited on his property.—Referred to Board of Health.

A by-law to amend certain clauses of the by-law to establish pounds, &c., was read and finally passed, placing the city pound on the southwest ¼ of section 14, within the city limits.

In reply to Ald. Pilling, Ald. Buchan and Winters stated that the assessor was busily engaged at the work in the meantime.

Ald. Lockhart drew attention to the necessity of having some better laws to govern the deposit of refuse in the soil, and spoke of the injurious effect of the present irregular system.

The matter was, after some discussion, referred to the Board of Health, and the council adjourned.

The Whiskey Traffic and its Suppression in the Northwest.

A most important and effective work is now being performed by detachments of police from this division in the suppression of whiskey selling and other forms of vice along the line of railway outside the Province of Manitoba. Major Walsh is showing no mercy to law breakers, his severe sentences having fully convinced them that he is not to be trifled with, while Sergeant Percy and his men are exercising more than ordinary diligence in seeking out and bringing offenders of all classes to justice. As might be expected, the railway officials and contractors were from the first delighted to avail themselves of the assistance of the police in sustaining the cause of morality and good order, but the laborers were at first disposed to regard them as belonging to the class commonly known as spies and whiskey detectives, whose sole object too often is to line their own pockets at the expense of the whiskey traders, whether through rewards for information or bribes for silence. Finding, however, that both officers and constables in the police force were thoroughly incorruptible, and that the latter were performing their duties in a thorough soldierly spirit, they learned to respect him. Later on the laborers found that an absence of whiskey was resulting in a pecuniary advantage to themselves which they had not before thought of. They had no means of squandering their earnings, and as a result they found themselves laying up more money than they had ever been able to save before, even when working for higher wages. They have now become friends and admirers of the system which they at first detested, while their employers, nearly all of whom are Americans, declare that in their whole experience in railway building they never saw morality and good order half as well sustained as it is by the Mounted Police here. Major Walsh and his subordinates have every reason to be very proud of the good name they are winning for themselves and the force to which they belong by their administration and execution of Canadian law along the line of the C. P. R.—*Globe's Northwest Correspondent.*

BRANDON CLUB.

[CIRCULAR.]

Brandon, 28th Aug., 1882.

DEAR SIR,—

At the 1st General Meeting of the Brandon Club the following gentlemen were duly elected members of the Committee:—

President:

HIS HONOR JUDGE WALKER.

Vice-Presidents:

HIS WORSHIP T. MAYNE DALY, JR., Mayor of Brandon;

MAJOR-GENERAL PIGOTT.

Committee:

J E Woodworth, Brandon,
Lawrence Buchan, "
Capt Osborn, R N, "
A O Leask, "
M H Gurney, "
Dr Spencer, "
F Granville, "
A Jukes, "
G B Angus, "
W J M Cooke, "
Major Rogers, Milford,
L Herchmer, Birtle,
H Monroe Grier, Birtle,
Col Martin, Rapid City,
J P Alexander, M P, Turtle Mountain,
Campbell Sweeney, Winnipeg,
J D Moodie, County Brandon,
John Hinds, County Brandon,
Dr Stoyte, Plum Creek,
R Kirchoffer, "
John Boultbee, Portage la Prairie,
Major Boulton, Shell River,
G Routledge, Qu'Appelle.

The subscription for Town Members is $25 a year, and County Members $10 a year, payable in advance. Members who join on or before the 15th of September will be called original members, and will not be liable for any entrance fee or higher subscription which the Committee may afterwards think fit to arrange.

If you should wish to become a member please send your name to me, also a cheque, at your convenience, for the amount of your subscription.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

MALCOLM WYLIE,
Secretary.

TEACHER WANTED.

For the Junior Department of the Public School, Brandon, Male or Female, holding a second or third class certificate. Applications stating salary and enclosing testimonials will be received until the 20th September next. Duties to commence 1st October.

W. BARR,
Sec.-Treas. School Board.

Brandon, Aug. 30th, 1882. 33-3t

STRAYED CATTLE.

Five Head Oxen. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses Apply at

Section 24, Tp. 10, range 20, or Box 117, Brandon P.O.

Aug. 30th, 1882. 33 3t

STRAYED.

Came on the premises of the undersigned, section 6, township 10, range 21, about the 15th of Aug. a small black Pony with white face. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take possession of the animal.

W. D. BROATCH,

Aug. 28th, 1882. 33 3t

STRAYED.

Came on section 34, township 11, range 26, on 9th August, a small brown Mare branded with letter W. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

R. J. BENNETT.

Aug. 29th, 1882. 33-3t

STRAYED on Section 30, township 9, range 17 one Bay Horse about fourteen years old. The owner must prove property and pay expenses at this office.

J. M. MINAKER.

Aug. 30th, 1882. 33-3t

BRANDON LOTS FOR SALE!

SEC. 23 (OLD SYNDICETE SURVEY.)

Lot 13, block 5, 50 feet frontage, on 6th Street near corner of Louise Ave...$550 00
Lot 18, block 47, 25 feet frontage, on 13th Street near corner of Princess Ave... 600 00

Terms Liberal. Apply to Wallis, Ramsay & Co., Rosser Ave., Brandon, or address

33 5t BOX 171, Winnipeg, P.O.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to MONDAY NOON, 4th instant, for the erection and completion of a Villa Residence. Plans and specifications may be seen and any other information obtained by applying at our office. Separate and bulk tenders will be received. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E McCOSKRIE & CO,
33 Architects, etc, Brandon

TO CARPENTERS.

Several good Bench hands required immediately. Employment insured for six or eight weeks at liberal wages. Apply to

FAIRTLOUGH & McGREGOR,
Souris, Plum Creek, or
to Messrs. Cameron & Larkin

Brandon, Aug. 30th, 1882. 33

A BARGAIN.

For sale Lots Nos. 11 and 12, block 61, in the centre of business in Brandon. The above lots will be sold on liberal terms. For particulars apply to

H. LAW,
Edie House, or J. Moble.

Aug. 29th, 1882. 33-4t

Brandon Lots.

Lots sale in Section No. 23, Brandon, on easy terms of payment. All payments due under agreements payable at office of

W. B. SCARTH,
No. 360 Merrin St., Winnipeg.

Aug. 30th, 1882. 33-tf

THE BRANDON

HORSE INFIRMARY,

BOARDING AND LIVERY STABLE,

11th Street, near Rosser Ave.

Good stabling and first class livery. Travellers provided with good horses, comfortable rigs and careful drivers. Special accommodation and skilful medical attendance for Sick Horses.

FRED. TORRANCE, B.A.,
Veterinary Surgeon.

Aug. 30th, 1882. 33-1y

FOR SALE.

A handsome, commodious and beautifully situated

House and Grounds

in the City of Brandon. For particulars apply to

L. M. FORTIER,
Rosser Avenue.

☞ Also a number of fine building lots in different parts of the city.

AUCTION SALE

OF

Grade Cows & Choice Pigs

AT THE

CRYSTAL SPRINGS FARM,

Township 8, Range 19, Section 32, nine miles south of Brandon, on

Thursday, September 19th, 1882,

at 1 o'clock, p m. Will be sold if not previously disposed of by private sale, 45 excellent Milch Cows, 1 Superior Bull, and a number of good Calves, all of which were purchased last Spring from some of the best stock raisers in Ontario. Twenty-two of the Cows being selected from the celebrated herd of K. Graham, Esq., ex M.P., Belleville. Most of the remainder from J. MacKenzie, Esq., Madoc, both gentlemen being the largest shareholders in their respective Cheese factories always keep the very best quality of Cows. Also 12 large Pigs, 15 Sheets, and 9 Pigs four weeks old. Some of these pigs are very valuable, being the immediate issue of a sow imported from England. This affords a good opportunity to parties wishing to secure first class stock.

If the above should be disposed of at private sale due notice will be given through the SUN.

IRWIN & WIGGINS,
Crystal Springs Farm.

Brandon, Aug. 30th, 1882. 33-2t

WANTED.—A list of lands for sale in the neighborhood of Brandon, whether homestead, pre-emption or Syndicate. Send (with price) to Box 20, SUN Office.

$100 REWARD.—Strayed from the undersigned, while near Pile of Bones Creek, about July 14th, FIVE MULES, four of which were brown and one mouse color, all having brand "A.C." on left shoulder. The above reward will be paid for the return of same to end of track, or to my camp on C.P.R.

32-3t H. G. NEWPORT, Contractor.

TEACHER WANTED—male or female—holding third class certificate, for Elton school District. Duties to commence immediately. Apply, stating salary, to

H. B. HETHERINGTON,
Sec.-Treas.,
32-4t Elton P.O., Man.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE—CHEAP.

A small Frame Building (shingle roof), comprising two rooms—8x8 and 8x12 Apply to

W A MACDONALD,
Next to Imperial Bank.

Brandon, Aug 2nd, 1882 29-tf

$20 REWARD.

The above reward will be given for any information leading to the recovery or return to Brandon of a SPAN OF MARES—one dark bay and one light brown with star on forehead and grey hind leg. Had harness on when last seen. They strayed away from Brandon on the 16th inst. Apply at

32 THE SUN OFFICE.

STRAYED.

A stray cow has been on the subscribers premises since about the middle of May last. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses by applying to

W D McKAY,
Third St., Brandon.

July 16th, 1882. 31-3t

STRAYED FROM CAMP, July 5th, 1 white horse, sore spot on left shoulder, about 15 years old, inclined to pace when going slow, weighs about 1,050 pounds, tail rather short. Any information given to Cluff & Kelley, contractors, will be liberally rewarded.

CUFF & KELLEY, Contractors,
31-3t Care Langdon, Shepard & Co.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A dark bay Pony with piece clipped out of each ear. Left stable near Royal Hotel about July 15. Any person returning the pony to Queen's Hotel, will be suitably rewarded. 32-3t

By-Law No. 39.

A By-law to raise thirty thousand dollars by Debentures for permanent improvements in the County of Brandon.

Whereas: It is expedient and desireable to raise by loan on the credit of the municipality of the County of Brandon the sum of thirty thousand dollars, payable on the twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, to be applied to, and which has been estimated to be necessary, to making permanent improvements within the County of Brandon, hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:

1 For the construction of Roads and Bridges, twenty-five thousand dollars.

2 For the construction of County Buildings, five thousand dollars.

And whereas, the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars will be required to be raised annually as a special rate for paying the interest and for creating a sinking fund for paying the said loan at the days and times when the same becomes payable by this By-law.

And whereas, the amount of the whole ratable property of the County of Brandon, according to the last revised assessment rolls, is two million five hundred and ninety-eight thousand three hundred and five dollars ($2,598,305); and whereas, to raise the said yearly sum of three thousand four hundred dollars the annual special rate upon the said ratable property will require to be one and one-third mills in the dollar; therefore, the Warden and Council of the County of Brandon, in council assembled enact as follows:

1. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be raised by way of loan upon the credit of this municipality.

2. That Debentures in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each be issued by this Council, not exceeding in the whole the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

3. That the Debentures to be issued therefor be made payable on the twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred, and bear interest at six per centum per annum, payable half yearly on the twenty-first days of February and August each year.

4. That the Debentures may, both as to the principal and interest, be made payable at any place in Great Britain, Ontario, Quebec, or Manitoba and may be expressed either in sterling money or in the currency of the Dominion of Canada.

5. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars being the amount required for and necessary to repay the expense of the permanent improvements herein mentioned be laid out as follows: In the construction of Roads and Bridges, twenty-five thousand dollars; county Buildings, five thousand dollars.

6. That the annual special rate of one and one-third mill in the dollar upon the assessed value of all the ratable property in the County, according to the last revised assessment rolls of this municipality over and above all other rates and taxes, shall be raised, levied and collected annually from the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two to the year one thousand nine hundred inclusive, for the purpose of paying the said loan of thirty thousand dollars and interest as aforesaid.

7. That Friday, the 29th day of September next, be the day fixed by this By-law for taking the votes of the electors of this municipality thereon, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 4 o'clock p.m.

8 That the following shall be the polling places in the county at which the votes of the electors shall be taken on this By-law: Ward No. 1, section 32, township 7, range 17, west, John Wear, returning officer; residence of Mr Kirchhoffer Plum Creek; R Kirchhoffer, returning officer, Ward No. 2—section 18, township 10, range 18, Dr. W. J. Graham, returning officer; section 20 township 10, range 20, J. Weatherill, returning officer. Ward No. 3—section 16, township 11, range 17, David Black, returning officer; section 26, township 11, range 19, Wm. Drew, returning officer.

9 That this By-law shall come into operation and take effect from the day of its final passing, according to the date hereof.

Done and passed in Council of this County of Brandon, this twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

(Signed) { GEO. RODDICK, Warden.
{ JNO. WEATHERI'LL, Clerk.

I certify the above is a true and correct copy of By-law No. 39, passed Aug. 21st, A.D., 1882.

32-5t JNO. WEATHERILL, Clerk.

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ALEX. LANG.

Brandon, Aug. 9th, 1882. 30-3m

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Fit Out in Tip-Top Style every Gentleman and Boy

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And can supply them with every class and quality of Dry Goods they will probably desire, at reasonable prices.

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Provisions, Boots and Shoes, &c.

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THE BRANDON SUN.

BRANDON, MANITOBA, AUG. 31, 1882.

MRS. SQUIRE has now eighteen pupils graduating in music. The new system of teaching is the musical wonder of the age.

THE heat on Sunday last was most excessive.

LOW.—The water in the Assiniboine is quite low.

IMPROVING.—The young lad Niblock, who had his legs taken off by the train on Sunday last, is improving.

A DISTINGUISHED CROWD.—Sir Hugh Allan, Duncan McArthur and others of note passed through here on their way west.

ALEXANDER.—Divine services will be held by Mr. Gardiner, a Presbyterian Missionary, in the Alexander boarding tent, on Sabbath, Sept. 3rd, at 6.30 p.m.

TEMPORARY.—Mr. A. B. Elford, of Winnipeg, has assumed the temporary management of Manning's Bank here, a vacancy having been caused by the death of Mr. Hamilton.

HORSE INFIRMARY.—Dr. Torrance, V. S., has conferred upon the city a lasting boon in the establishment of his horse infirmary, on 11th street. The Dr. is highly spoken of as a practitioner and gentleman.

SERVICES.—The Presbyterian church being in the hands of the plasterer, the congregation have accepted the offer of their Methodist brethren and will hold service in that church on Sunday morning next, at 11 a.m., instead of in the Murry Block as announced last Sabbath.

THE SOCIAL under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, held in the C. M. Church on Tuesday evening was an enjoyable treat. Everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner, and all concerned acquitted themselves with honor.

LOCATING.—Mr. Leary, inspector of bridges, arrived in the city yesterday and with Mr. Davis, C.E., laid out the site for the new roundhouse and the permanent workshops of the company, which are to be located here. The roundhouse will have twelve stalls for locomotives.

THE STREETS.—The grading of the streets is being pushed forward with rapidity. The graders are now busy upon Rosser avenue, having also performed a vast amount of work on the streets. In a few days we will scarcely know ourselves, with our new sidewalks and gravelled streets.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.—The teachers and pupils of the public school, assisted by a number of friends, are to give a musical and dramatic entertainment in the School House, on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. The names mentioned in connection with the programme ought to ensure a successful entertainment.

WE STOOP.—In the report of the late banquet the Mayor was made to say that his confreres in the Council were *not* helping him in the building up of the city. It is needless to say that the compositor who inserted that extra word "not" has been arraigned, found guilty, and will be hanged on the first opportunity.

COOLED OFF.—John Morrison was arrested last night between ten and eleven "by the clock," by Patrol Campbell. He was cursory, and in his mind could thump the boy in blue or any other man, Campbell tenderly led him to his cold, cold bed, on the corner of Seventh and Princess street, and this morning 'Squire Winters dealt as leniently as the law would allow, admonished him lovingly "free, gratis" and mulched him $1 fine, and $3.50 costs.

A man named W. Pringle was brought in as a prisoner last night, charged with stealing a horse from Thomas Talbot, of township 4, range 19, west, on the night of the 30th. The thief led his pursuers a race for a week or so, and was finally captured within a short distance of the line, having in the mean time traded off the stolen animal at Rock Lake. Pringle was brought before a justice of the peace and committed for trial.

PRESBYTERIAN FESTIVAL AND INDUCTION.—On Thursday evening, the 24th inst., the induction of Rev. John Ferries, B. A., to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, Brandon, took place, and passed off in a manner highly satisfactory to all concerned. The entertainment was of excellent character, and during the evening several appropriate speeches were made. The pastor of the church replied to the many congratulatory remarks in a feeling manner, and delivered a most telling speech. The proceeds amounted to about $200.

At the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Hamilton, Rev. D. Pomeroy moved a resolution discountenancing the Northwest Land Company which had assumed the name of the Methodist Episcopal Church and advertised its prospectus in the church organ. He denounced in strong terms the policy of placing land in the hands of speculators. An amendment disowning the society, but not expressing any opinion of its mode of action, was carried after slight opposition.

DRIVEN OUT.—On Thursday morning last some workmen on the English Church ascended to the dome of the tower to commence operations. They had no sooner made themselves comfortable than they were attacked by an army of wasps that had taken possession of the fort during the few days absence of the builders. It is almost needless to say that the winged army held the fort, and forced a retreat on the part of the invaders. Assistance was immediately obtained and a *coup de etat* performed, resulting in the complete overthrow of the forces inside the embattlement.

NEW HARDWARE STORE.—We have much pleasure in drawing attention to Messrs. G. Ripple & Co's announcement in another column. They have a very heavy stock of goods in their line, and they claim to undersell their competitors. Sportsmen wanting a first-class breech or muzzle loading gun will find their stock in that line very complete. Their store is located on 8th street, and their sign, a large goldon anvil, cannot fail to attract attention. They are certainly deserving of a large trade, and intending purchasers will appreciate the low prices of their goods. See adv.

SAD ACCIDENT.—On Sunday morning last, a nine-year-old boy, son of a widow lady named Niblock, while playing on the track in the west end of the city was run over by a frieght train, and had both legs taken off, one near his body and the other below his knee. As soon as the train could be stopped the little fellow was picked up, and brought back to the hospital at the emigrant sheds, where surgical aid was at once summoned. It is expected the little sufferer will recover. Much sympathy is felt for the widowed mother in her distress.

APPOINTED.—John Doran, has been appointed sub-timber agent for the area comprised between townships 4 and 13, inclusive, and ranges 14 to 25, inclusive, and he notifies all parties who have been in the habit of dealing or trespassing to call upon him, in order that the business may be transacted legitimately as by infraction of the law they are in danger of losing their homesteads.

ANOTHER VICTIM ON THE RAIL.—To the many other melancholy accidents that have recently occurred on the railway it becomes our duty to add still another. In this instance the unfortunate victim was one David Williams, for some time a resident of Alexander, about 15 miles west of here. It seems Mr. Williams was engaged in the gravel pit and as the train started out he attempted to get on board by climbing up between two cars. In some way he missed his hold and fell across the rail, and the train passed over his body, causing instant death. The deceased had been only a short time in the country, and was about 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and family to mourn his untimely end.

TOO PARTICULAR.—A case took place a few days since between Broadview and Qu'Appelle, in which a customer of the railroad was altogether too particular, and by which he not only lost money but caused two others to lose their situations. It appears that this party had a car of merchandise shipped as far as Broadview, intending to take it further, but owing to the contractors having control of the portion of the road to the west, he could take it no farther. In order, though, to accomplish his purpose, he "tipped" the yardman and conductor to the extent of $100, and had his car attached to a construction train. It was, however, thrown off at the wrong siding, and not turning up at the desired point, the owner telegraphed to R. H. Graham, Master of Transportation at Broadview, regarding it. Mr. Graham made inquiries, and found that some one had overreached his duty, and at once ordered the car to be brought back to Broadview. So much mystery was surrounding the whole affair, it was decided to open the car. This being done, it was found to contain some merchandise, and an exceeding large stock of bottled essences, so large for this new country that it was deemed wise by the authorities to open one of the bottles, and instead of essence of lemon, it was found to contain pure alcohol. The would-be speculator had on board enough alcohol to make sufficient whiskey to keep the entire Northwest drunk for a twelve month. It is needless to add some confiscation took place, and through the dealers anxiety to have his car forwarded he not only lost his goods, but was also heavily fined.

THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

HOW THEY WERE TREATED BY OUR CITIZENS.

During the past week or two the people of this place have been on the tiptoe of excitement, awaiting the arrival of the members of the Canadian Press Association. On Wednesday morning at 7.30 the train conveying the party was seen to approach from the west, and to those on board it was indeed an inviting scene, the station ground fairly covered with single and double carriages, in readiness to convey the guests to the hotels and afterwards to different points of interest in the city, and the extensive platform crowded with people, all of whom were anxious to do honor to the quill-drivers. As the train drew up, the city band was heard discoursing in the liveliest strains their welcome to the strangers. Besides those named below, a number of guests from Winnipeg, including amongst others A. W. Ross, M.P., Capt. Scott, M.P., Mr. Luxton, of the *Free Press*, Mr. Rowe, of the *Times*, Messrs. T. Wastie, A. Calder, A. McCharles, of *The Real Estate Review*, Mr. J. M. Robinson, of the Portage *Tribune*, disembarked, and were at once extended the hand of honest hospitality from the Mayor, Aldermen and citizens. The committee, assisted ably by Chief McMillan, placed the visitors in the carriages in waiting and they were at once taken to the different hotels for breakfast. After partaking of which they were driven to the council chambers, and formally received by the Mayor, Aldermen and citizens, and the following address read by the Mayor:

TO THE PRESIDENT, OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE CANADIAN PRESS ASSOCIATION:

Gentlemen,—On behalf of the Council and citizens of the city of Brandon, we extend to you and your ladies a hearty welcome upon this occasion of your first official visit to Manitoba. As we were only erected into a city on the 30th of June, 1882, it has not been our privilege until to-day to extend a public welcome. We decidedly recognize the power and influence of the Press Association of Canada, and the great importance for good of your visit to this Province.

Nature has been wonderfully kind to our beloved Canada, especially to this part of it. The opportunity you have had during the past few days will have enabled you to form a small idea of its vast resources, and the unlimited field it presents for settlement, from the older countries. We consider public opinion as one of the great factors in opening up and developing our country, and we feel that the coming amongst us of so many journalists cannot but have a most beneficial effect in extending a more perfect knowledge of Manitoba and the Northwest, since you will now be enabled "to speak from the book," and give to your thousands of readers a more intelligent and unembarrassed account of the "Great Lone Land."

We do not desire to offer any lengthened remarks upon the advancement of our own city, further than to say that we consider that for a place when sixteen months ago there was not a house to be seen, it has prospered and made substantial growth that is without precedent in the annals of any country.

We are proud of our Province, proud of our city, and we have faith and hope in their progress, and all that we ask of you in your criticisms is that you will extend that "charity which covereth a multitude of sins;" and that when you have returned to the quiet of your own firesides, you will not forget your friends in the city of Brandon, who one and all wish you God speed and hope you will have a safe and pleasant journey homeward.

Signed on behalf of the council and citizens of the City of Brandon.

T. MAYNE DALY, JR.,
Mayor.

Mr. Pense, retiring President of the Association, replied in a heartfelt manner, and when he said that it was impossible to express in words, his astonishment not only of the reception, but of everything in connection with it, especially of the growth of the city, he was he knew expressing the feeling of all that accompanied him. When he and his friends would arrive at their homes, and tell of this place, their reports, although being well substantiated by numbers would scarcely be credited. Brandon was, without doubt, the wonder of the present age. On behalf of the association he thanked the Mayor and council, (whom he took occasion to justly eulogize), and the citizens generally, for this very unlooked-for reception at their hands. After the conclusion of Mr. Pense's very interesting reply, the Mayor announced that carriages were in waiting to convey the guests to points of interest, and at the same time informed them that Mr. Woodworth, in order to increase the pleasure of the visitors, had put on extra force, and succeeded in getting his bridge completed sufficiently to enable it being crossed. As this would give an excellent opportunity of visiting the north side of the river and obtain from that point one of the best views of the city, it is needless to say Mr. Woodworth's offer to give the Association the freedom of the bridge was readily accepted, and in a short time the guests had a bird's-eye view of Brandon from the hills to the north, prettier than any picture. After driving through the city, an adjournment was made to the government buildings, where Mr. F. Granville, with the taste and experience only to be shown by a connoiseur, had in waiting a spread that was a surprise to even Mr. Granville's friends. As the hour for the departure of the guests had about arrived the programme of toasts was commenced, which brought to their feet several of the visitors, among them being Mr. Jas. Young, M.P.P., Mr. Trayes, of the Port Hope *Times*, Mr. Pense, Mr. Dennis, Mr. Lavasse, of Montreal, Mr. McCready and Mr. Patullo, of Woodstock, besides the Mayor, and the always prepared and witty speaker, Mr. T. Mayne Daly, Sr., of Stratford, Ont. It was with the pride that a parent listens to the praises of his child that our citizens heard the remarks of the various speakers concerning the city they were all striving to build up to become one of, if not the greatest in the North-West. Mr. Young, in his speech said, that although much had been said concerning Brandon and the North-West, "the half had not been told."

The hour for departure having arrived, the guests took the train and, amid loud and prolonged cheers bade goodbye to the many friends they had made in Brandon during their short stay.

Mayor Daly and County Councillor Scott accompanied the party from here.

ONTARIO.—E. J. B. Pense, retiring president, *Whig*, Kingston; George Tye, president elect and lady, *Times*, Brampton; C. B. Robinson, vice-president, and lady, *Canada Presbyterian*, Toronto; W. R. Climie, secretary, and lady, *Statesman*, Bowmanville; J. B. Trayes and lady, *Times*, Port Hope; C. D. Barr, *Post*, Lindsay; P. E. W. Moyer and lady, *News*, Berlin; W. Watt, jr., *Expositor*, Brantford; W. Weld and lady, *Farmer's Advocate*, London; H. M. Matthewson, Toronto; C. W. Allen, Ottawa; G. Wilson and lady, *Guide*, Port Hope; Thos. Hilliard and lady, *Chronicle*, Waterloo; W. T. R. Preston, *News*, Port Hope; H. E. Smallpiece, *Herald*, Guelph; Dr. Clark, Superintendent Insane Asylum, Toronto; E. E. Horton and ladies, *Globe*, Toronto; H. Hough, *World*, Cobourg; J. Cameron and lady, *Advertiser*, London; Rev. W. F. Clark, *Rural Canadian*, Toronto; E. C. Campbell, *Advocate*, Cayuga; A. Robinson, *Recorder*, Ayr; J. A. Davidson, *Mercury*, Guelph; G. R. Pattullo and lady, *Sentinel-Review*, Woodstock; James Young, M. P. P., and lady, *Reformer*, Galt; John King and lady, *Telegraph*, Berlin; A. F. Stevenson, *Aurora Borealis*, Aurora; S. F. Wilson and lady, *Truth*, Toronto; D. F. Fairbairn, *Herald*, Richmond Hill; D. Creighton, M. P. P., *Times*, Owen Sound; G. F. Gurnett, *Chronicle*, Ingersoll; D. Kellock and lady, *Expositor*, Perth; Lyman Moore, *Times*, Hamilton; T. J. Starret, *News*, Milton; John Collie and lady, *Reformer*, Galt; A. Dick, *Banner*, Brampton; H. H. Stovel, *Confederate*, Mount Forest; W. McCraney, M. P., *Expositor*, Oakville; P. Murray, *Times*, Orillia; M. A. James, *Statesman*, Bowmanville; W. S. Law, *Observer*, Tilsonburg; E. E. King and lady, *Mail*, Toronto; H. Rowland, *Tribune*, Ingersoll; W. Johnson and lady, Toronto; N. King and lady, *Gazette*, Barrie; J. H. Little, *Advertiser*, Owen Sound; J. G. McCrae, *Canadian*, Sarnia; J. R. Grant, and lady, *Sun*, Brussels.

QUEBEC.—J. Tasse, M. P., *La Minerve*, Montreal; Ernest Pacaud, *L'Electeur*, Quebec; Dr. Dionne, *Courier du Canada*; P. Lemay, *Le Nouvelliste*, Quebec; H. C. Peletier, *Le Cultivateur*, Quebec; L. J. Demers, *Le Canadien*, Quebec; Paul De Cazes, *Le Journal de Quebec*, Quebec; Oscar Dunn, *L'Opinion Publique*, Montreal; N. Levasseur, *L'Evenement*, Quebec; H. B. Cass, *Chronicle*, Quebec; P. A. Crossby, Montreal; John Massie, *Observer*, Cowansville.

MARITIME PROVINCES.—Wm. Elder, M. P. P., *Telegraph*, St. John, N. B.; J. E. B. McCready, *Transcript*, Moncton, N. B.; W. Dennis, *Herald*, Halifax, N. S.

[A report of the trip west will appear in next week's issue.—Ed.]

School Board.

A regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees of the city was held on Friday evening last, in the school house. Present—Rev. J. Ferries, chairman, and Messrs. Winter, Parker, Phippen, Pilling, White, Lockhart and Fleming.

The report of the special committee to draft standing committees was read and adopted, with amendments, making the several standing committees as follows:

Committee on Finance—Messrs. Lockhart, Pilling, White and Winter.

Committee on Salaries—Messrs. Phippen, Woodworth, Fleming and Head.

Committee on Property—Messrs. Pilling, Parker, Deacon, Lockhart, Buchan and Woodworth.

Visiting Committee—Messrs. Lockhart, Pilling and Fleming.

An application from Mr. T. J. Lamont, principal, for an advance of $200 on his yearly salary, was read and the application granted.

The Sec.-Treas. was instructed to advertise for a teacher for the junior department of the school.

The account of W. G. Wyatt of $280 for plastering was ordered to be paid.

Tenders of Riesbury & Wakefield and James McLennan for digging of a well were referred to Finance Committee.

The chairman was instructed to engage a caretaker, and the applications of Rev. G. C. Squire and the lodge of Good Templars for the use of the school rooms were referred to the Property Committee.

The *Ayr Recorder* gives its editor—who joined the Press excursion to Manitoba the following lively "send off:"—"Our Editor in Chief departed on Tuesday for a trip to Manitoba, amidst great pomp and circumstance. The haughty air assumed by him on the morning of his departure was acquired after much practice in one of our back rooms. We venture to say few of the members of the press gang who accompany him go better provided with the sinews of war than does our representative. By extraordinary effort in the contribution line we managed to send him off with a well filled purse. Three dollars and sixty-nine cents is a pretty large sum to squander on pleasure, but as this excursion only occurs once a year, we determined he should not want for means. We trust that he will exercise a certain amount of restraint, and not gorge himself with herrings and soda biscuits, nor permit himself to be beguiled by confidence men."

A FARMERS JOURNAL.—A copy of the first No. of the Nor-West Farmer is before us, and it is really a representative paper. It is full of interesting matter to the farmer and the householder, and is just what is wanted in this Province. It is a monthly journal, published monthly at $1 per annum.

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August 23rd, 1882. 32 4m

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Will be received until noon
ON THURSDAY THE 31st INSTANT,
For the erection of
A Brick Residence and Outbuildings,
for the Lieut.-Governor of the North-West Territories. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of
C. W. MOBERLY,
Architect, 155 Main St., Winnipeg.
Aug. 23, 1882. 32-2in

COUNTY COURT,
COUNTY OF BRANDON.
This Court is now orgrnized for the transaction of business, and the first sitting will be held at the City of Brandon on the
22nd DAY OF AUGUST, INSTANT.
WM BARR,
Clerk.
Brandon, Aug 2nd, 1882 29-tf

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Clerk of the County Court
Of the Judicial Division of Brandon,
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City of Brandon.
TENDERS.
Sealed tenders will be received at the office of Poudrier & Brownlee, City Engineers, up to 12 o'clock noon, on
Thursday, Sept. 7th, 1882,
For the
Dredging and Boxing of a Certain Drain
From Victoria Ave. and 6th St. to Lorne Ave. and 5th St.
For full particulars apply at City Engineers' office.
Address tenders to
J. W. HORNE,
Chairman Board of Works.
City Engineers office,
Brandon, Aug. 22, 1882. 32-2t

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE!
The undersigned requests all parties having lots in the City limits to call upon him at once at the Council Chambers between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., and give him all particulars concerning the same.
A. WADDELL,
Assessor.
Brandon, Aug 23rd, 1882 32 3t

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August 23rd, 1882. 32

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Previous to the political disturbances which caused a general exodus of Europeans from Egypt, and led up the bombardment and practical destruction of Alexandaia, the city had a population of about 215,000 inhabitants, nearly 50,000 of them Europeans.

The city lies on the Mediterranean, near the mouth of the westernmost arm of the delta of the Nile, and occupies a peninsula, anciently the island of Pharos, and the neck of the land connecting it with the mainland.

On each side of the isthmus is a good harbor, that on the west being mainly artificial. Its excellent position for trade made it the chief commercial city of Egypt and the great central station for passengers east and west, the steamers to and from India, the Leyant, and Western ports all stopping there. It is connected with Mansoora and the Suez Canal by railroad, and wish Cairo by rail, canal and river. In its newer portion Alexandria had the appearance of a European city. It was lighted with gas and supplied with water from the Nile. Besides its export and import trade the city was the seat of large government and private manufactures run by steam. It had many fine residences. Among the prominent buildings were the palace of the Khedive at Ras-el-Tin, the large naval arsenal, the naval and military hospitals, the Custom House, Tribunal of Commerce, Italian College, and the various schools.

Alexandria was founded by Alexander the Great in 332 B. C. Under his successors, the Ptolemies, the city contained 300,000 free inhabitants and as many slaves. It became the centre of learning, and schools of Grecian philosophy flourished there. Magnificent monuments were erected, among them the Pharos, the Museum, and the Temple of Serapis, and there were many gorgeous palaces and public buildings.

Julius Cæsar besieged and took the city in 48 B. C., and eighteen years later Augustus made it an imperial city. It now began a new season of prosperity, continuing till the establishment of the seat of empire at Constantinople. The Catacombs, public baths, and Pompey's Pillar, with the Roman Emperor Caracalla visited the city and ordered a general massacre, and under the rule of Gallienus a famine swept off half of the population. In 273 an insurrection resulted in the destruction of the great library of the museum. In 296 another revolt ended in a general slaughter, and in 365 an earthquake destroyed 50,000 persons. The Persians captured the city in 616, and yielded it to the Arabs in 641. It then contained 400 palaces, 400 theatre, 4,000 public baths, and 12,000 gardens.

From this time on it rapidly decayed, and its population and trade diminished. Cairo took its place as the chief city of Egypt. It finally sank so low that in 1777 its population was only 6,000.

Suicide of Mr. George Hamilton.

During Monday morning the greatest excitement prevailed over the death of Mr. George Hamilton, Manager of Manning's Banking Office here. Groups were gathered here and there on every street corner, talking over the all-absorbing event. Without much difficulty we were able to learn the following particulars: On Sunday evening, he was in company with several gentlemen of the city, and remained with some of them until near midnight, chatting and enjoying himself in his usual happy manner, conveying to none of them the least reason for thinking that any thought of self-destruction was passing through his mind. On Monday morning he was seen by Mr. J. Lyons, about 6.30, to pass into the yard at the rear of the Bank, for a pail, and apparently in his usual frame of mind. Shortly after ten o'clock (the hour for opening the bank), several customers were outside the door, and being unable to gain admittance, Mr. George B. Angus, placed a ladder to the upper window, and thus secured an entrance. His surprise may be imagined on finding Mr. Hamilton, still partially undressed, kneeling at the side of the bed as if in prayer. On moving towards him, he found a pool of blood on the floor, and the pistol still in his hand with which the deed was committed. The body was quite rigid, life having left it, apparently, for some time. As we have stated, the news was received with great surprise, as during his stay here his record was a most exemplary one, and his circle of friends was very large. No reason can be assigned for his action, other than that it was the result of temporary aberration of the mind. Mr. Hamilton was unmarried and about 35 years of age. He was the son of Senator Hamilton, of Kingston, a fine old gentleman, eighty years of age, upon whom this blow, it is feared, will fall very heavily. He was also brother to the County Crown Attorney of Algoma. Coroner Shaw held an inquest in the Council Chambers at 2.30 on Monday afternoon, at which the following verdict was rendered: That the said Geo. Hamilton came to his death by act of his own hand on Monday, the 28th inst. while in a fit of temporary aberration of the mind.

Iced Tea.

Probably no hot weather drink has gained as rapidly in public favor as iced tea. There have been numerous suggestions as to the proper method of preparing this delicious beverage. People have been advised to make it by infusion, by decoction, with boiling water and with hot water brought to the boiling point after the tea is in it; but now comes a ukase from no less worthy source than the New York *Post* telling us that these methods are all wrong as applied to the popular drink. We must use cold water, putting in the tea several hours before it is to be drunk. The delicate flavor of the tea and abundant strength will be extracted without a trace of the bitter taste attributable to tannic acid. No more than the usual quantity of tea will be required. Ice a few minutes before serving. This is vouched for as a perfect method for making iced tea, and it is certainly worth a trial, considering the inferior quality of the beverage so often served even in well-regulated households.

Uncle Rufus Hatch was interviewed at St. Paul, Speaking of Manitoba and Winnipeg he said:—"There is a garden in the Red River valley. The country is splendid. Winnipeg seems to have plenty of money, and they have got a land boom there which is pretty big, all things considered. I should think that some of the Canadian Pacific road must have cost $100,000 per mile to build it, and that, in my opinion, is pretty expensive for so new a country. However, they claim that 7,000 persons are to-day sleeping in tents along the line of that road, all of whom are actual settlers."

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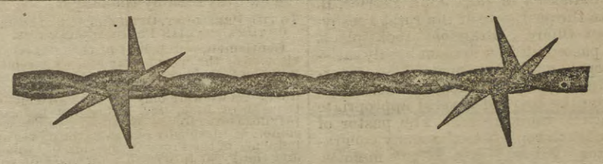

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